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Section 1

Directions: Use the information on pages 298-301 to complete the following questions.

1. Of the 12,000 Georgians who fought in the war, _____ did not return home due to battle deaths and diseases.
 2. The term *freedmen* means _____.
 3. Circle the letter of the correct answer. The Freedmen's Bureau performed all of the following functions EXCEPT
 - A. _____ helped former slaves and poor whites cope with everyday problems by offering clothing, food, and other necessities.
 - B. _____ helped the freedmen adjust to their new circumstances.
 - C. _____ helped the freedmen earn the right to vote.
 - D. _____ focused on education as a way to help the freedmen.
- True or false, the process of rebuilding the South and restoring the southern states to the Union was known as Reconstruction.
- _____ What happened on April 11, 1865?
- _____ The Thirteenth Amendment made _____ illegal.

Section 2

Directions: Use the information on pages 302-311 to complete the following statements.

1. The Georgia Constitutional Convention of 1868 _____ the ordinance of secession and voted to abolish _____.
2. True or false, the Thirteenth Amendment was successful in abolishing both slavery and discrimination.
3. Circle the letter of the correct answer. What happened when all of the southern states (except Tennessee) refused to ratify the Fourteenth Amendment?
 - A. Congress invalidated those state governments and re-established military rule.
 - B. States were directed to draft new constitutions and to include and extend the right to vote to African Americans.
 - C. States were required to have their citizens ratify the new constitutions as well as the Fourteenth Amendment.
 - D. All of the above.

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9. Joseph E. Brown was the _____ member of the Bourbon Triumverate, was re-elected to a _____ term as governor, and was later appointed _____ of the Georgia supreme court.

10. Alfred H. Colquitt was elected governor in _____, and was a close political ally of _____.

11. While John B. Gordon was governor, he _____ the state's debt and brought new _____ into the area.

12. Circle the letter of the correct answer. The Bourbon Triumverate was criticized for which of the following reasons?

- A. For doing little to help the poor
- B. For doing little to improve education
- C. For doing little to improve mental hospitals
- D. All of the above.

13. Circle the letter of the correct answer. What was the name of the group who challenged the Bourbon Triumverate and argued that the Bourbons ignored the poor and lower middle class?

- A. The Republicans
- B. The independent Democrats
- C. The Democrats
- D. None of the above.

14. True or false, under the convict lease system, prisoners were well cared for, and the system resulted in an increased availability of jobs for paid laborers.

10. Because of the work of Dr. Felton and his wife, the roots of the _____ Movement were planted in Georgia.

Section 4

Directions: Use the information on pages 31-32 to complete the following section.

1. Henry W. Grady, the leading journalist of the time, discussed the need for a _____, a South that would become much more like the industrialized _____.

2. While Dr. Gustavus James Orr was state school commissioner, he focused on improving _____ for schools and providing equal treatment for _____ students.

3. The three month school year met these two important needs

- A.
- B.

